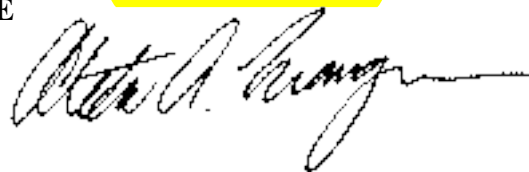


IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE  
NASHVILLE DIVISION

Motion GRANTED



JOHN T. GORE,

Plaintiff,

vs.

EL PASO ENERGY CORPORATION  
LONG TERM DISABILITY PLAN and  
EL PASO ENERGY CORPORATION,

Defendants.

Case No. 3:02-CV-1008

JUDGE TRAUGER  
MAGISTRATE JUDGE BROWN

INJUNCTIVE RELIEF SOUGHT

**MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE  
REPLY BRIEF IN SUPPORT OF  
PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR RECONSIDERATION**

Plaintiff has filed a Motion for Reconsideration [Doc. 143] and supporting memorandum [Doc. 144], to which Defendants El Paso Energy Corporation Long Term Disability Plan and El Paso Energy Corporation (collectively, "Defendants") have responded [Doc. 146]. Plaintiff moves the Court for permission to file a short reply brief, submitted contemporaneously with this Motion. Plaintiff's proposed reply brief provides rebuttal arguments to issues raised in Defendants' Response.

Respectfully submitted,

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